UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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| ì | b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed) [Note Box 6 below] | | | 9 | 9. | _ | Papers (cover sheet | & document(s)) |
| | į [| i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). In Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76 | | | 10 | | (b) Statement is an assignee) | Power of Attorney |
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| | INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b)) | 10-3 = | 7 | X \$ 80.00 = | \$ 560.00 | | |
| | MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) \$270.00 = | | | | \$ 0.00 | | |
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